

**DENR Memorandum Order  
No. 14  
June 16, 1994**

**SUBJECT : Implementation of the Program entitled  
"FAMILY TREE" (Grow a Family Tree for  
Legacy)**

In line with our call for the entire citizenry to share in the responsibility of environmental protection for future generations and in consonance with the theme of the Environment Month: ONE EARTH ONE FAMILY, all members of the DENR Family are hereby enjoined to actively participate in mobilizing every family in the country to plant a family tree for legacy.

A Family Tree is an important heritage that each family must bestow their children. It symbolizes a conviction in protecting the planet EARTH, a conviction that may be adopted by the future generations.

The program also envisions to inculcate the relevance of tree planting to the participating families, apart from promoting awareness on environmental protection.

The DENR through its Regional/Field Offices and in coordination with the local government units and other concerned agencies shall manage and coordinate the implementation of this Program.

The DENR shall assist in providing seedlings to interested families, preferably premium species like narra, to symbolize the conviction of the country, in protecting the environment. The trees shall be planted at their own property or at designated areas which may be identified by the DENR and the LGUs for the purpose. Historical sites in certain localities may be designated as planting sites.

All Bureaus, Attached Agencies, Regional/Field Offices are hereby mandated to implement the Program in their respective areas of jurisdiction.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

**ANGEL C. ALCALA  
Secretary**